## IOHN H. LEE IS

At the home of John H. Lee, secre-ary and treasurer of The Lee Bros. Furniture Co., at press hour today it was said that Mr. Lee's death was mocentarily expected. Mr.Lee has been il at his residence, 895 Noble avenue, or more than a month and it is be-teved he is suffering from an incur- "Sor

Mr. Lee's daughter, who lives in New York, was sent for.

NORWALK WOMEN

granted divorces to two Norwalk wo-men today whose testimony was heard by him yesterday afternoon Eva Hyatt was given a decree from Wil-ic among the soldiers occupying it. liam Hyatt of Norwalk on the ground They fled to the woods, pursued by our of desertion December 16, 1909. The shells. Near the forest of Narroy, ouple were married December 4, 1896. whole bodies of Germans unsuccessful-Mrs. Hyatt's maiden name was Eva ly attempted attacks on our outposts.'

Murray.

Tessie Elsenstock of Norwalk was freed from Charles Elsenstock. Intreed from and cruelty were the temperance and cruelty were the grounds. The couple were married March 29, 1914. Mrs. Eisenstock's maiden name was Tesaie Taradash.

The faculty of arts and sciences at Harvard decided to increase the annual tuition fee from \$150 to \$200.

Hire partially destroyed the Chas ant Laubhem building in Haverhill, Mass, at a loss of \$35,000.

#### MARRIED.

O'BRIEN-GALLAGHER - In Brook iyn, N. Y., Feb. 1, James F. O'Brien of Bridgeport, and Miss Ids May Gallagher, of Bridgeport. OARLSON-DURGY,—in Brewster, N.

Y. Feb. 22, Charles Carison and Miss Ida Durgy, of New Fairfield. MORGAN-RASMUSSEN.—In Danbury, Feb. 28, Edward Morgan and Miss Dorothy Rasmussen.

WEINSTEIN-ROODNER.—in New York, Feb. 23, Louis Weinsten and Miss Jessie Roodner of South Nor-ATCHISON-CAMPBELL -- In Stamford, Feb. 27, David Atchison and Miss Jean Campbell, SENNAY-WHITE,—In Terrington,

Anna White.

VENESS—In this city, March 5th, 1916, Capt. Reginald B. Veness, aged 46 years, 4 months, 16 days. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from Henry E. Bishop's mortuary chapel, 274 Fairfield avenue on Sunday, March 7, at 2 p.m. Interment Mt. Grove cometery.

MILLER—In this city, March 6th, 1915, James H. Miller, aged 47 years, 11 months, 5 days. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from Henry E. Bishop's mortuary chapel No. 274 Fairfield avenue on Suiday, March 7th, at 5 p. m. Interment Evans Mills,

FITTPATRICE—In this city, March
6, 1915, Thomas Fitzpatrick.
Friends are invited to attend the
funeral from his late residence 806
Broad street on Tuesday, March 9
at 8:30 a. m., and from Sacred
Heart church at 9 a. m., with solemm high mass. Interment St. Michael's cemetery, S 6 b\*
HOVY.—In this city, Friday, March

5th, 1915, Curties C. Hoyt, M. D., aged .2 years, 7 months, 5 days, Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 155 Colorado avenue, on Sunday evening, March 7th, at 7:30 o'clock. Interment at Pittsfield, Mass.

O'KANE-In this city, March 4, 1915, Daniel O'Kane. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence No. 124 Catherine street, on Monday, March 8 at \$:30 a. m., and from St. Augustine's church at 9 a. m. Interment at St. Michael's come-

MOORE-In this city, Mar. 4, 1915, Henry M. Moore, aged 51 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence No. 171 Calhoun avenue on Tuesday, March 9 at 9:20 a.m., and from 81. Augustine's church at 9:38 a.m., with solemn high mass. Interment St. Michael's cemetery.

TO RENT-4 rooms, 142 Center St., improvements, \$9 per month.

AGENTS—Men and women, to sell our specialty; big profits; fast seller; particulars free. Write, De Forest Specialty Co., 115 Elm St., Worcester, Mass. WANTED—The address of A. Wol-kom. Kindly communicate with Box 13, New Preston, Conn.

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WANTED-Position as housekeeper by young married woman. Widow or bachelor preferred. Apply S. M. H., Care of Farmer, S 6 dep

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF CA-TALPA CIRCLE, LADY FOREST-All members are requested to at

tend funeral service of the late Dr. C. C. Hoyt, 155 Colorado avenue, on Sunday evening, March 7 at 7:30.

ELLA KELLEY, W. C.

ANNIE MALONEY, Fin. Sec.

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See Mr. Ward at HOWLAND'S

## Official GIGANTIC CRITICALLY ILL World's War

Paris, March 6.—The war office gave out this afternoon the following account of the events of yesterday at the

FRENCH

"Somewhat lively artillery actions occurred around Nieuport and Ypres. From the Lys to the Aisne there was an intermittent cannonade.

'In Champagne our progress yesterday in the ravine northwest of Bease-jour caused the Germans last night to undertake fresh counter-attacks which we repulsed.

ARE GRANTED DIVORCES "All our advance in the region of Judge Webb of the superior court ing's communication has been main-

### Summary War News

Announcement was made by the French war office to-day that the advance of the allied troops in Champagne was continuing and that efforts of the Germans to half the movement by counter-attacks has failed. London reports the allies are making slow but insistent gains in this region, although Berlin makes no such

The general staff of the Russian Caucasian army reports that Armenia had been made by the forces which recently moved forward from Batum along the shore of the Black Sea. This army is said to have cut off Turkish communications with Con-

Petrograd despatches say that the Austrians may be compelled soon to evacuate Bukowina. It is believed at Petrograd that the great Austro-German encircling movement in this region has failed and that the right wing of the Austro-German Galleian army is in danger of being flanked by

There were indications in today's cable despatches that the bombardment of the Dardanelles bombardment of the Dardanelles might bring to a decision the attitude of the Balkan states concerning the war. The possibility of the capture of Constantinople, with resultant changes of vital interest to the Balkan nations, already has exercised a noticeable influence on these psonies. Bulgaria is said to have ples. Bulgaria is said to have mobilized secretly three divisions or about 36,000 men and one of these divisions is reported to have been sent to an unknown destin-zation. In Rumania the chamber of deputies is considering the granting of credit of \$45,000,000 by the government to the mili-tary and calling to the colors of the 1915 reservists. The decision of the crown counsel concerning intervention in the war is eagerly awaited and an Athe despatch states that populist feel-ing is in favor of such a step.

The attack on the Dardanelles forts is proceeding steadily al-though it is still a question what it has accomplished. A Paris newspaper states that one-third of the straits has been cleared of

Russia is prosecuting one of the most vigorous offensive move-ments of the war in the east extending over the whole front.

- A Berlin despatch admitted the capture by the Russians of Myszknico near the Prussian frontier but in general it is asserted that Russian attacks are being repulsed while Petrograd

reports steady progress.

In the west, likewise, fighting is becoming more general. The battle in Champagne continues with unabated ferocity and there are signs of increasing military activity in Belgium. All along the eastern end of the line, to which Germany is reported to be sending reserves, there is steady and spirited fighting.

## **CALL ITALIAN** RESERVISTS TO

London, March 6-The Rome corndent of the Exchange Telegraph Company sends word that the eserve non-commissioned officers of four classes were called to join the colors today.

## TOBIN FINED \$100

The trial of Thomas Tobin, proprietor of the Star cafe and cabaret on Middle street, which was raided Feb. 13, and of several woman frequenters whose recorded names were indisputably fictitious in the city court, Judge Frank L. Wilder presid-ing, resulted in the fining of Tobin

Exceptional effort to procure a conviction were made for it developed that Policeman John P. Curry, dressed in his street clothes had been assigned to espionage in a window across the street for five days and nights watching the persons who pa-

receivership brought in the superior court by August F. Scholz against Frank Scholz, Jr., who conducted a garage at 49 from shock and minor confusions. Light and quiet and well- Sixth street, have been settled out of sponsible for striking Fromson. Ferdinand C. Fox was recently appointed receiver by Judge Webb. It was alleged that August Scholz and Frank Scholz had dissolved partnership and were unable to agree distribution of the assets.

The Bank of Southwestern Georgia at Americus closed its doors.

# DUE SOON

name at night in six foot letters of In addition her name and nationality were painted in big letters She had aboard 260 passengers and a full cargo of freight.

German Losses Near 3,000,000, Says Paris

Paris, March 6-An official note issued by the French press bureau declares that the German losses since the beginning of hostilities in killed wounded, sick and prisoners reaches the enormous total of 3,000,000 men This calculation is based on the unknown casualties in 10 German regi-

Russians Claim Success Petrograd, March 6—An official communication received in Petrograd from the Russian army in the Caucasus dated March 4, says that Russian troops are continuing with the same success their offensive operations in the vicinity of the Tchoruk River, in Turkish Armenia. There have been no other encounters with the Turks on other parts of the Rus slan front

#### Foresters Prepare To Royally Greet the Convention Delegates

The meeting of the Grand Court Convention committee of the Foresters of America held last evening was a very successful and enthusiastic gath-The committee on ways means in their report recommended a grand ball and cabaret show at Elagles' hall, preceded by a banquet at the Stratfield and a parade headed by the Wheeler & Wilson band as a series of entertainments for the visitors which are expected at the grand court in May. Some 200 visitors will court in May. Some 200 visitors will be entertained at the two days' fes-

The following sub-committees were General committee: Patrick J. Carroll, chairman; J. Edward Brosnan, secretary; W. T. Meyer, treasurer. Ball committee: A. T. Campbell, chairman; A. Jelf, Samuel Thomas, W. H. Galbrunner, C. A. Berson, Antonia Manna, James Durkin, Badges and souvenirs: P. H. How-Banges and souvenies: P. H. How-ard, chairman; John McCutcheon, J. P. McCann, Col. T. J. Murphy, Eugene Byrnes, Axel Karlson, Luigi Abriola. Press and printing: P. J. Carroll, J. Edward Brosnan, W. T. Meyer. Banquet: J. E. Lyddy, A. H. Canletd, Samuel Thomas. Parade and band: William Callan, chairman; James Ortle, W. J. Rowe. BARRETO IS PROCLAIMED

NORTH PORTUGAL RULER London, March 6-General Antonio Zavier Correla Barreto has been pro-claimed president of the Republic of at Lamego, according to a despatch received her today by the Fabre News Agency from Madrid. The news reached Madrid by way of Badjos.

HOPWOOD TRUSTEE OF THE JONES PRINT SHOP into bankruptey. Attorney John T. L. Hubbard was named trustee of the Stoddard Millin-ery Co., located in the Security build-

Judge Frank L. Wilder was appoint

ed trustees of Mentes & Pusztal, local contractors and builders. SCHOOL BURNED, CHURCHES

## ARE TAKEN FOR CLASSES

Warrensburg, Mo., March 6-The buildings except the Dockery Gym-pasium were burned. The loss is estimated at half a million dollars.

The school was attended by 2,000 students. At a mass meeting of citizens held while the fire still raged, it was decided to commandeer every church, school and hall in the city so that regular sessions of the school may be continued.

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Peck, will comprise two solos by Mrs. Ada Tuck Whittaker, and some quarwhich the members are Mrs. Whitta- tery. ker, Miss Louise Pfau Mrs. Lewis F. Hall, and Miss Elizabeth Spencer. Mrs. AND COSTS IN COURT William H. Comley, Jr., will be the ac-

#### Motorist's Posts \$100 For Appearance After Felling Pedestrian

Charles G. Hammond, residing at 1164 Fairfield avenue awaits trial in to learn of his death. Broad and John streets, when Ham- age, N. Y. mond struck Morris Fromson, an expressman residing at 219 Bunnell St. Before the ambulance summoned from the emergency hospital could arrive the injured man who was knocked to the pavement by the mud-SETTLED OUT GE COURT guard of Hammond's machine, had been taken to the office of Dr. Chester E. Blackman, his family physician. Dr. Blackman later reported cian. that the patient was suffering merely

> E. S. Coe of New Haven will address the members and their lady friends of the Seaside club on Thursday evening, March 11 on "Travels on the Highways and Byways of Japan." The lecture will be illustrated and a very entertaining evening is anticipated by those who plan to attend. was largely attended and interment was in Mountain Grove cemetery.

## "BAD MAN" HOLDS WEALTHY BLACK UP STATE POLICE; WHEELER GETS HIM

Stratford State Official Subdues Shotgun Wielder In Danielson

Danielson, Conn., March 6-It was he experience of three state police officers to be held up at the point of a shotgun last night. The who held them up and who had been subdued through strategy by the officers, Oliver White, admitted to the judge in the town court today that he had been "a bit too quick" and "had lost his head."

The officers, Robert Bridgeman, Wheeler and Jackson, had gone to White's place in an automobile to raid it for cider. They had taken five barrels out of the cellar and loaded them into a wagon when White appeared with a shot gun and threaten ed shoot them all. The officers backed up to the automobile anad while one of them fooled about the crank in an effort to start it Wheeler worked his way to the rear of White's position and then leaped upon him. White's gun contained a shell and e had another one in his hand. On the charge of attempting to shoot Wheeler the defendant was held in \$2,000 for the superior court.

#### Dr. C. C. Hoyt, Old School Physician, Dead at 63 Years

Continued from Page One ried Hattie Rees. She died six years ago. Since her death he had given up active practice except the caring for a few people whose family physi-cian he had been for more than a

In point of service he was the oldest physician employed as an investigator by an insurance company here. Until illness incapacitated him several months ago he had worked for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. of New York city.

Dr. Hoyt is survived by his motherin-law, Mrs. Pauline Rees, with whom he lived; Lauren Rees, the actor, his brother-in-law; a stepdaughter, Mrs. A. L. Stewart; a brother, Lewis Hoyt a locomotive engineer living at Mount Vernon, N. Y., and two nephews, Curtis and Clark Cummings of this city. He was a member of St. John's lodge, F. & A. M., of this city, Jerusalem chapter, R. A. M., and Arcanum lodge, I. O. O. F., of this city.

His funeral service will be held toorrow evening from his late home in Colorado avenue. Rev. Dr. Richard L. Swain of the South Congregational church will conduct the services.

On Monday morning the body will be taken to Pittsfield, Mass., on the 7:05 train for burial in the family plot in the Pittsfield Protestant cemetery.

Arcanum lodge of this city will exemplify its funeral ritual at the home of the physician tomorrow evening. Officers of Mystic lodge, F. & A. M., of Pittsfield, will conduct the Masonic ourial service there on Monday.

Dr. Hoyt became seriously ill about a month ago of kidney disease and was taken to Galen hospital where he underwent an operation. He returned to his home and resumed his practice and it was believed he was recovering. Yesterday he became seriously ill and again took to his bed in the middle of Northern Portugal by a Congress of the forencen. His death followed last Democrats who have been in session night.

#### **OBITUARY**

PATRICK H. KELLEY.

A great number of friends of the late Patrick H. Kelley attended the funeral held this morning from his Referee in Bankruptey John W. former residence, 450 Pequonnock Banks has appointed Attorney Charles street, at 8:30 and from St. Augus-Hopwood trustee of the Jones Print Shop of this city, which recently went B. Nihill sang the solemn high mass B. Nihill sang the solemn high mass deacon and Rev. J. J. Kennedy as sub-deacon. Schmidt's mass was sung. The church quartet sang "Dominie, Jesu" at the offertory and "Come Unto Me," after the mass. A delegation was present from Park City council, K. of C., and the fol-lowing members were bearers: Patrick Otis, William F. Maher, Patrick Kane, James Rooney, James Keefe, and Stephen Phelan. Warrensburg State Normal School many flowers, including a large stand-was destroyed by fire today. All the ing wreath from the K, of C., and a standing wreath from the employe of the Crane Company. Rev. Father Nihill read the committal service at the grave in St. Michael's ceme tery.

MRS. ROSE KIEBNAN COTRELL The funeral of Mrs. Rose Klernan Cotrell was held from the home of Main street, at 8:30 this morning and Hon. Arden L. Judd of Stratford will speak before the members of the Mary Silliman chapter, D. A. R., on Monday fertory and "Thy Will Be Done," afafternoon at 2:30 o'clock his subject ter the mass. There were a number of beautiful floral pieces and the church was well filled with relatives the chairmanship of Miss Mary L. and friends of the deceased. The bearers were Samuel Gregory, Thos. Ada Tuck Whittaker, and some quartet from the George White and Michael McGuire. Wednesday Afternoon Musical club of Interment was in St. Michael's ceme-

JAMES H. MILLER. James H. Miller of 2606 Main Moran, ig., street, died at the Bridgeport hospital this morning. Mr. Miller, who was born in Evans Mills, N. Y., in 1867 came to Bridgeport some two years ago from Oneida, N. Y. He was traffic manager of the American Chain company of this city. During his residence here he had made many friends who will be deeply grieved he city court Monday upon charges widow, two children survive him. of reckless driving, following an au-tomobile accident at the corner of and Mrs. L. A. DeLaine of Old For-

> WILLIAM H. WAVIS. The funeral of William H. Davis was held at 2:30 this afternoon from his late home, 524 Brooks street, was largely attended by relatives and friends of the dead young man There were a number of beautiful pieces. Rav. Everett S. Burnes, pastor of the Washington Park M. E. church, officiated at the funeral and burial was in the family plot in Lakeview cemetery.

ARTHUR T. CHOWENHILL. Rev. C. W. Areson of Trinity P. E. church conducted the funeral services over the body of Arthur T. Chowen-hill, yesterday afternoon at his late Rainville, rg., Cartland, Ig.

## **ROCK RESIDENTS OPPOSE LICENSE**

Don't Want Saloon On Wilson Street-Make Up Big Petition

A renewal of the bitter fight by prominent Black Rock residents to prevent the granting of another litoday when four remonstrances containing 74 names were filed in opposition to former Alderman Sven E. Merburg, who wants a wholesale li-

cense for 3 Wilson street.

William T. Washburn, a wealthy
New York lawyer who has a country home at Black Rock, is one of the foremost remonstrants. He is the father of W. M. Washburn, the noted tennis player.

Murberg tried before to transfer license to Black Rock and at the same address where he wants to lo-He asked for a wholesale beer license about a year ago and the county commissioners granted his application. Remonstrants appealed to the superior court and the court sustained the appeal, holding that there was no such thing as wholesale beer licens

Some time ago Murberg secured John Mason's license which has been located at 56 Cannon street. wants to transfer this to Black Rock where he conducts a grocery bustness. The remonstrants say the neighborhood is residential and therefore unsuitable for a license. They also claim the district is no sufficiently policed.

## ST. MARY'S AND **HEARTS WIN GAMES**

STANDING L P.C. Sacred Heart, .786 St. Charles St. Mary's, Results Last Night.

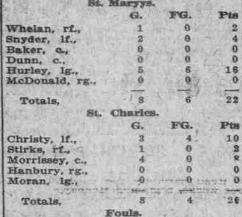
Sacred Heart 48, St. John's 18. St. Mary's 22, St. Charles 20. Games Next Friday. St. Mary's vs. St. John's, 8:30, Sacred Heart vs. St. Charles 9:30.

St. Mary's vs. St. Charles. At St. Charles' court on East Main street last night the St. Charles' five went down before St. Mary's quinter in one of the most heart-breaking defeats ever witnessed in this city The strain was too much for the average fan and the St. Charles' players felt the defeat more keenly than any yet administered to that hustling five. They have now lost 6 games, five of them by one basket.

It was the same dangerous combination of Hurley, Whelan and Sny-der that starred for the Mary's while Christy was all over the floor. Stirks also played a fine game. The first half it was nip and tuck and the half wound up with the score at 12 to 11 in favor of the St. Mary's. Christy diately caging one and this was followed up by one by Morrissey. The cause of several of the Charles' past defeats was again apparent Hurley caged three points on tries after four fouls had been called on the home team. With one min-ute left to play St. Charles' were leading 18 to 16 when Hurley tallied tieing the score. Christy then caged another for St. Charles' and it looked like a victory for the home team. But it was not to be so. Hurley re-ceived the ball on a beautiful pass from Snyder, and caged what proved

to be the winning basket. Then the Charles started to bombard the Mary's basket. Four times in rapid succession Moran bounded ball off the rim but it simply would not go in. To make matters worse Christy dropped one plump into the basket and after fully thirty seconds of tantalizing and breaking revolving around the rin the mean thing jumped out. But Bobby followed it up and twice more he caged the ball only to have it come out again.

The luck was against the St. Charles. But to give credit where credit is due, the St. Mary's played like champions. It was the finest and most evenly played game in the history of the league and the rooters who were fortunate to be present were Cotrell was held from the home of loud in their praise of the work of her sister, Mrs. August Brennan, 868 both teams. The score: St. Maryys.



St. Mary's-McDonald 4, Hurley 8, St. Charles-Stirks 4, Morrissey 2, Christy 1, Moran 1, Hanbury 1,-9, Referee Waters. Scorer E. Moran.

Hearts vs. John's. The John's started off like winners but by the time the second half had rolled 'round they were slipping. The Hearts were forced to go the limit last night before they could claim a victory. After the second half had been in progress about five minutes it was a foregone conclusion that the leaders would win. The John's put up one of the best battles this sea-son. "Whitey" was a star in him-self and he played Russell like a vet-The score: eran.

Sacred Heart. FG. G. Russell, I, f . Martin, rf., The funeral Gartland, lg.,

## HOWLAND'S

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Saturday, March 6, 1915.

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This distinctive weave seems to bring out the beauty of the new Spring colors exceptionally well. The individual threads almost glow with color; they form

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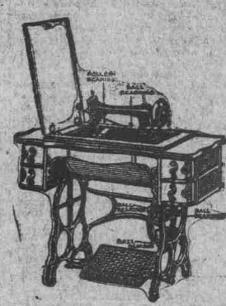
Another wool-and-mohair of the crepe family is especially rich with its deep subdued luster. 'Tis quite like a Tussak in appearance; a sponged and shrunken fabric with special strength and durability. It will appeal to many women because of its comparative freedom from injury by perspiration.

\$1 yard.

Second only to the crepe weaves are the new serges and the rich broadcloths. Some of these are very satiny in finish and gleam like polished steel. This is notably true of the imported broadcloths of which a few are still available.

Serges-\$1 and \$1.50 yard Broadcloths-\$2 to \$5 yard Right aisle, rear.

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is left to get a guaranteed sewing-machine at regular cash price on easy terms of payment. The Howland club keeps its membership rolls open till the close of business March 13th. While those rolls are open, any woman may join. Members get a machine on payment of first amount of one dollarand every machine is guaranteed to do its work with full satisfaction for years and years.

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#### St. John's—Kreevey 3, Lucas 2.—5 Referee Hurley. Scorer E. Moran. SHOOTING VICTIM DYING: POLICE TAKE MEN'S STATEMENTS

Upon learning that Bernard Schwab is in a critical condition at Norwalk hospital, State Policeman Frank Virelli went to the county jail this morning to take the statements of Charles Ember and Walter Myers who are held on the charge of shooting Schwab during a brawl in Westport

last Saturday. It was felt that the accused would talk more freely before they learned that Schwab is likely to die. Myers and Ember are each held in \$10,000 ball but have not yet been able to procure bonds. They were caught at their homes in Westport in an early morning raid by Deputy Sheriff Lad-rigan and Constable Sturgis.

Mrs. William E. Norris, aged 72, residing at 1202 Park avenue this morning slipped on a banana peel on the sidewalk near her home. An emersidewalk near her home. An emer-gency surgeon called to the scene of the accident pronounced her right thigh bone fractured. She was taken nome at her refusal to be treated at

## PL R. BERTRAM VENESS NOTED SPORTSMAN DEAD IN THIS CITY

R. Bertram Veness died yesterday noon at his home, 39 Denver avenue. atfer a two weeks' illness. The death was sudden and a distinct shock to his friends, as he was considered to be rapidly recovering. Mr. Veness was taken ill two weeks ago, but it was not considered serious.

Mr. Veness was about 40 years old. He came to this city eight years ago and had been a resident since then employed at the Yost Typewriting company. He was prominelly con-nected with athletics in this city, particularly in aquatic sports. He was one of the organisers of the local United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps and has been very active in pro-moting its efficiency. He was an ex-cellent swimmer. In Emgland he be-longed to the Royal Life Saving Corps and obtained several medals there for heroic acts. At Tale university he has given exhibitions in the tank. He belonged to Adelphian lodge, L. O. O. and to the Amalgamated Society of Engineers.

A father and sister in England sur vive him. In this country he has two brothers, Thomas, a resident of Obio. and Alfred E., of Rochester, N. Y., who is well known in this city. Alfred Veness is a former superintendent of the Yest factory and a former mainter of

Exports from Galveston in February aggregated \$31,696,017.

Heavy snow fall in Kansas, Nebras